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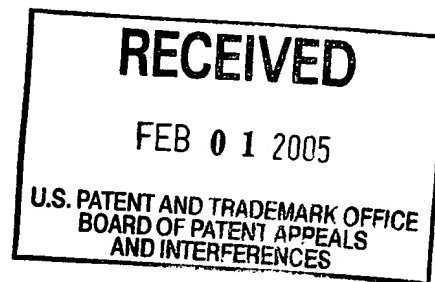
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: PFLUG

In re PATENT Application of:)
RAINER PFLUG et al.) Examiner: Sy, Mariano Ong
Appl. No.: 09/754,618) Group Art Unit: 3683
Filed: January 4, 2001)
For: THRUST BALL BEARING)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Preliminary to the first Official Action in the above-entitled application,
please amend the application as follows: